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(PATENT)

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In re Patent Application of:  
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*Withdrawn*

Application No.: 10/505,437

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Art Unit: 3721

For: DEVICE FOR POSITIONING SEVERAL  
SHEETS IN A STAPLER

Examiner: N. C. Chukwurah

REQUEST FOR REFUND

MS 16  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

I. REFUND REQUEST

This is a request for a refund with respect to the charge to Deposit Account 02-2448 shown on the statement for the month of November 2006 for the above-identified

☒ application ☐ patent

☒ A copy of the relevant portions of the monthly statement in which the error referred to occurs, accompanies this request.

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II. FEES CHARGED FOR WHICH REFUND REQUESTED

AMOUNT OF  
REFUND  
REQUESTED

☐ filing fee

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☐ search fee

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☐ examination fee

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☐ surcharge for filing the basic filing  
on a date later than the filing date of  
the application (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e))

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and/or

☐ surcharge for filing the oath or declaration  
on a date later than the filing date of the  
application (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e)).

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☐ extension of term

☐ first month

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☐ second month

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☐ third month

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☐ fourth month

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☐ excess claims

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☒ issue fee

\$1,000.00

☐ petition fee

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- ☐ patent maintenance fee \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ first maintenance fee \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ second maintenance fee \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ third maintenance fee \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ patent maintenance fee surcharge \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_
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TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED

\$1,000.00

III. EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR

The above-identified application was originally allowed on August 14, 2006. Applicant's paid the Issue & Publication Fees on November 14, 2006 (Copies Attached Hereto). On December 7, 2006 the application was withdrawn from issue. On July 23, 2007 the application was allowed again. On October 23, 2007, Applicants failed to pay the Issue & Publication Fees due to the fact that the application was to go Abandoned.